





# Monitoring I/O on Data-Intensive Clusters

Visualizing Disk Reads and Writes on Hadoop MapReduce Jobs

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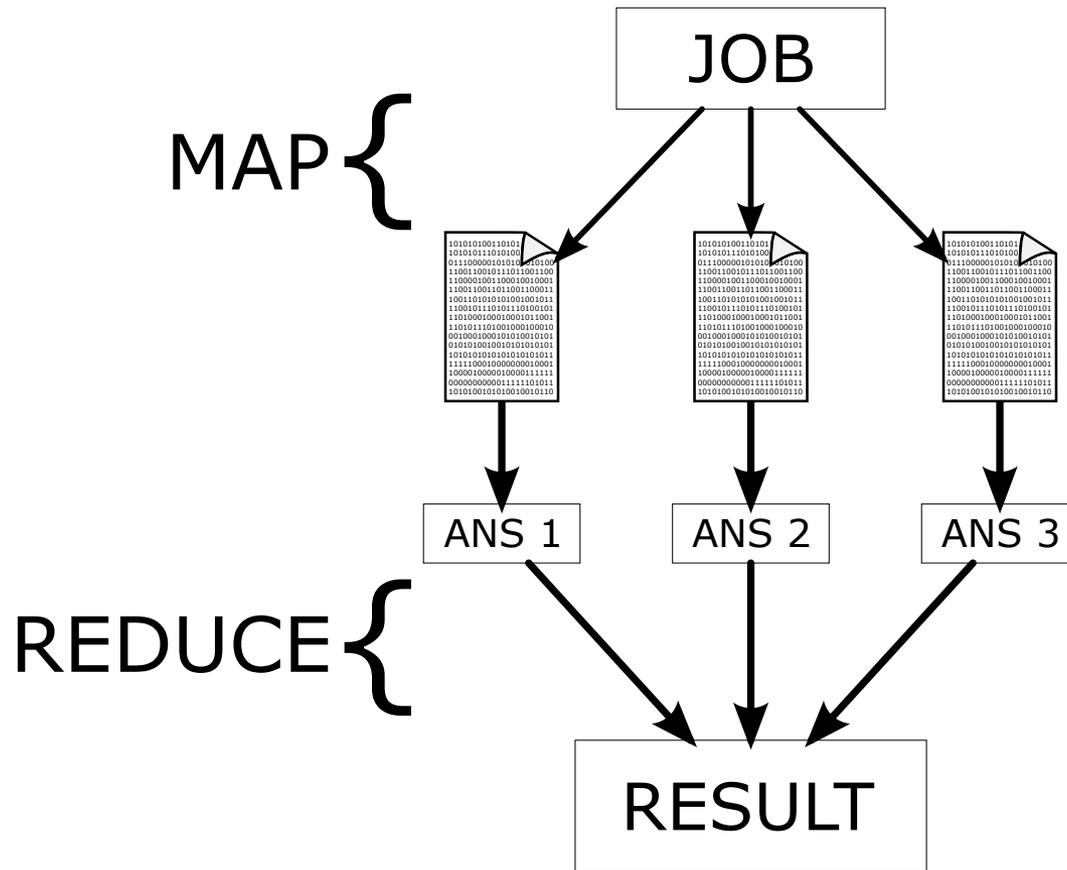
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## I/O Intensive Jobs

- Bottlenecked by read/write disk speed
- MapReduce
  - Move jobs to the data (instead of vice-versa)

# MapReduce



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- Data tests
  - bonnie++
  - teragen and terasort

# Environment

- 11-node CentOS cluster
  - 1 head node and 10 compute nodes
- FDR InfiniBand 56-Gb/second
  - IP over IB
  - Faster than disks can read/write
- Hadoop 2.3.0
- MRv2/YARN
  - Yet Another Resource Negotiator
  - Runs MapReduce jobs in Hadoop environment
- Java 1.6

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## iostat

- outputs I/O statistics for devices
- command-line interface

# Splunk App for HadoopOps

The screenshot displays the Splunk App for HadoopOps dashboard. The top navigation bar includes the Splunk logo, the app name, and user roles (Administrator, Messages, Settings, Activity, Help). The main content area is divided into four panels:

- Components:** A table showing the status of HDFS components. The table has columns for instance, component, service, and health. One instance is listed: Node (instance), hdfs (component), DataNode (service), with a health of 0 / 10. A 'MANAGE SERVICES' button is located at the bottom right.
- Utilization:** Three gauge charts showing real-time metrics: Load Avg (0.34), Used Mem (6%), and HDFS Used (0%). Below the gauges, summary statistics are provided: Nodes over .9: 0, Nodes over 90%: 0, and HDFS Capacity: N/A.
- Headlines:** A section for real-time news, with filters for LAST 15 MINUTES, LAST HOUR, and LAST 24 HOURS. The current message is "Nothing news-worthy at the moment...". A 'MANAGE HEADLINES' button is at the bottom right.
- Activities:** A section for real-time activity, with filters for RUNNING, LAST HOUR, LAST 24 HOURS, and LAST 7 DAYS. It contains two summary tables:

Jobs	Pending	Running	Complete	Failed	Killed	Total
	0	0	0	0	0	0

Tasks	Total	Succeeded	Failed
	0	0	0

M/R	Map Tasks	Reduce Tasks
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# Ganglia

**Ganglia** Goldenrod Cluster Cluster Report for Tue, 22 Jul 2014 09:34:31 -0600 Get Fresh Data

Metric  Last  Sorted  Physical View

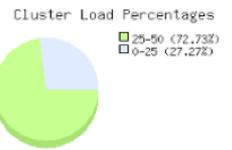
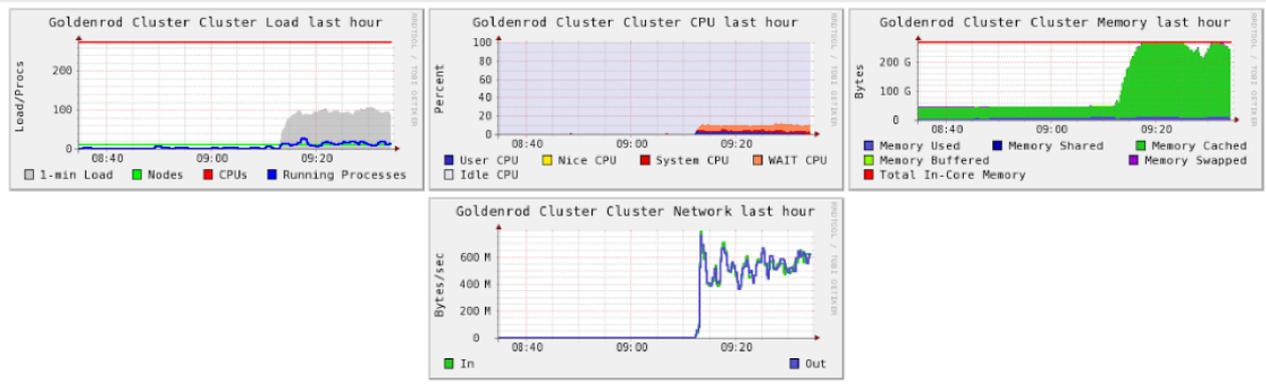
Grid > Goldenrod Cluster >

CPU's Total: **272**  
 Hosts up: **11**  
 Hosts down: **0**

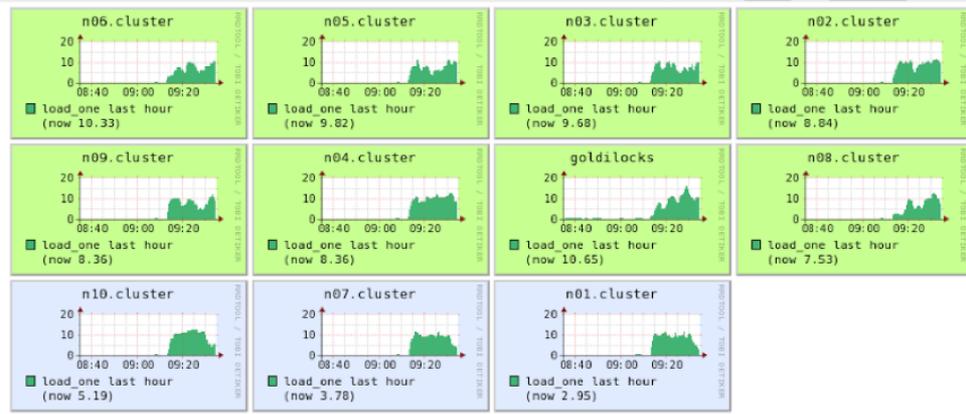
Avg Load (15, 5, 1m):  
**26%, 34%, 31%**

Localtime:  
**2014-07-22 09:34**

### Overview of Goldenrod Cluster



Show Hosts:  yes  no | Goldenrod Cluster load\_one last hour sorted descending | Columns 4 | Size small



(Nodes colored by 1-minute load) | Legend

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# Methods

## Benchmarking

- bonnie++
- measure disk I/O

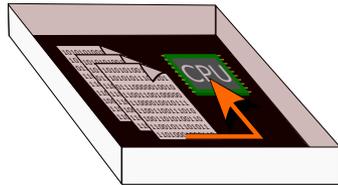
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- teragen
- terasort

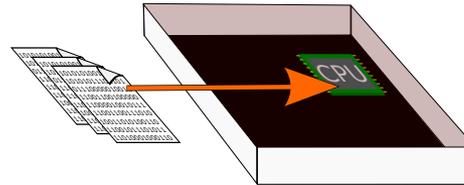
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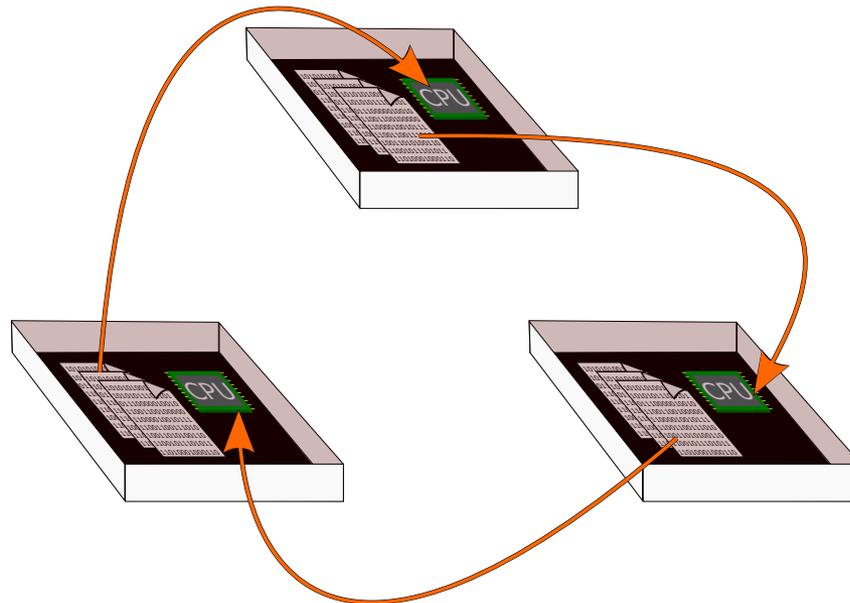
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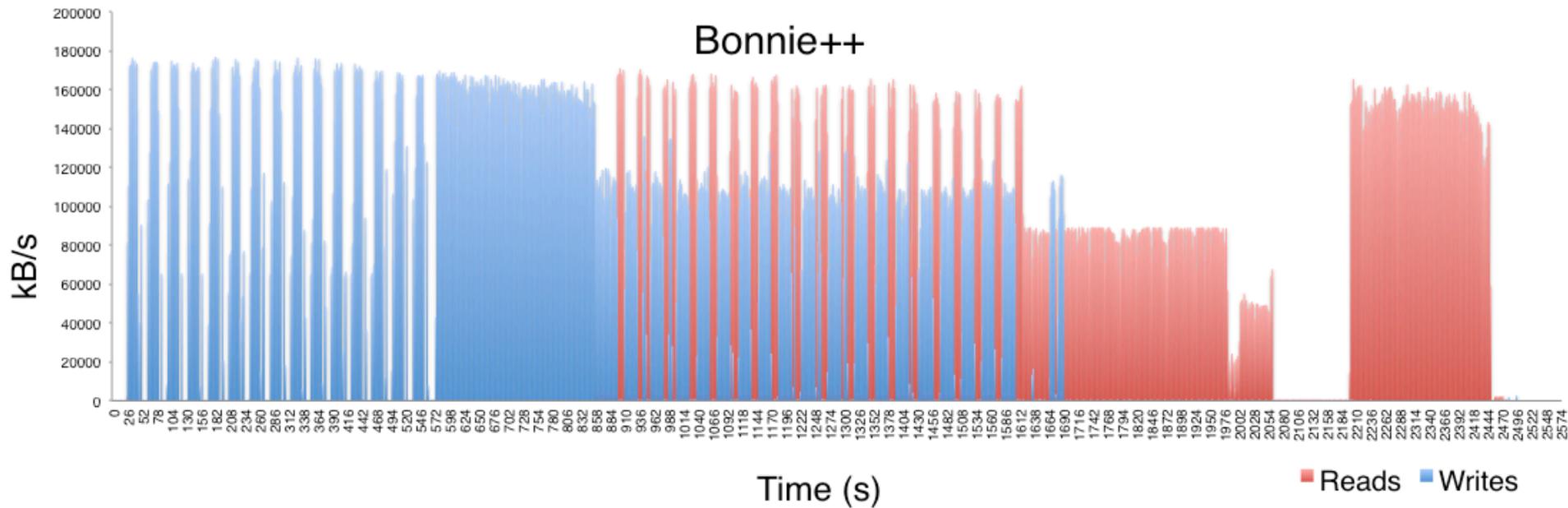
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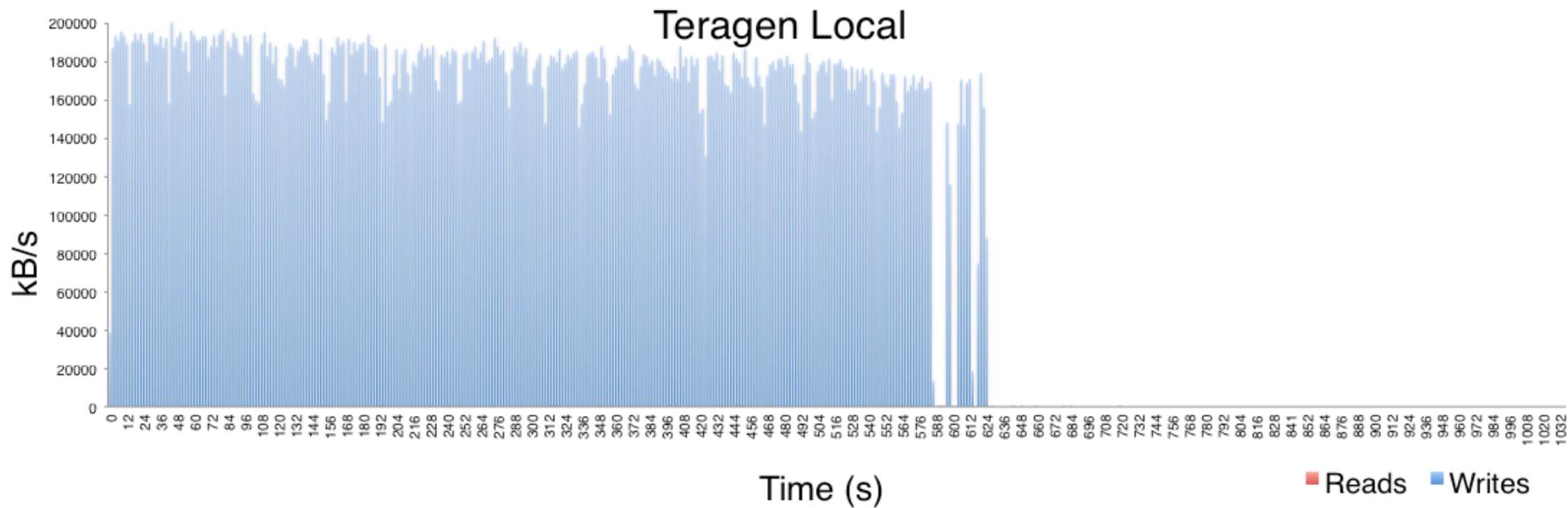
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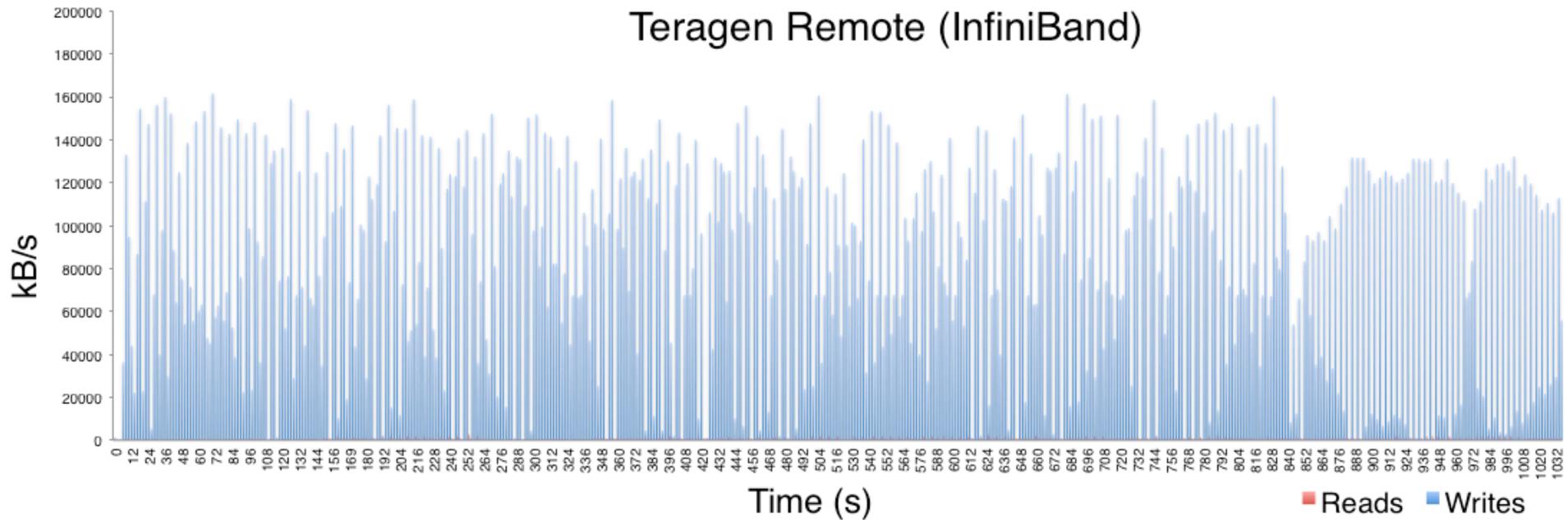
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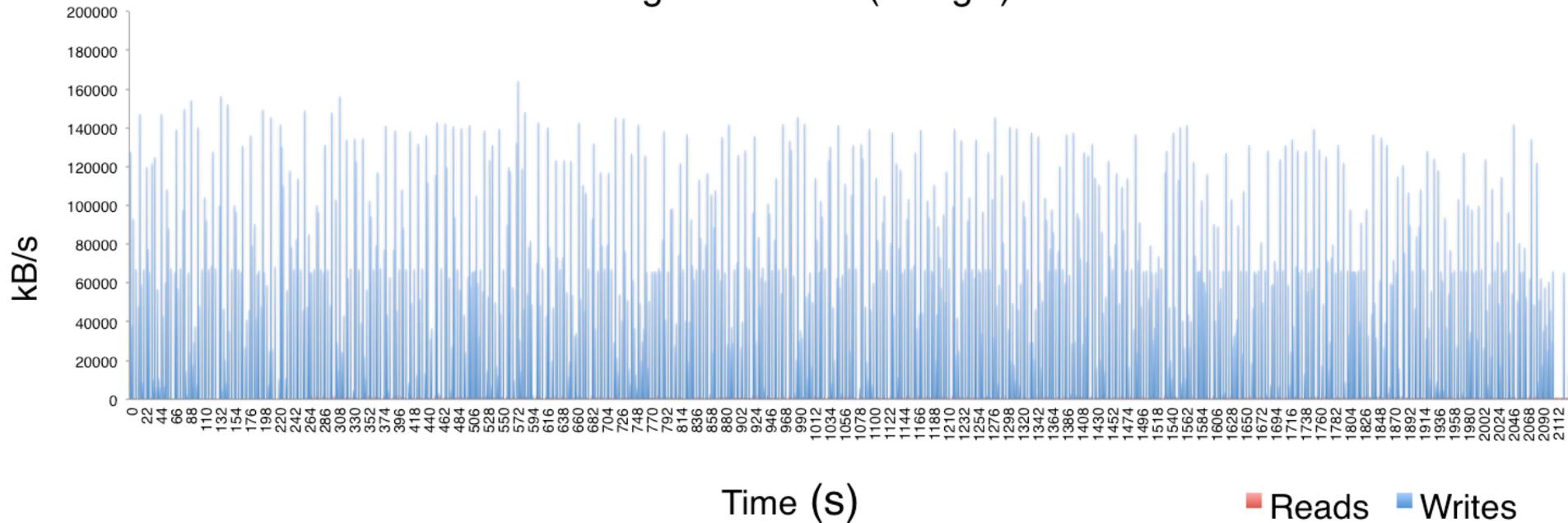


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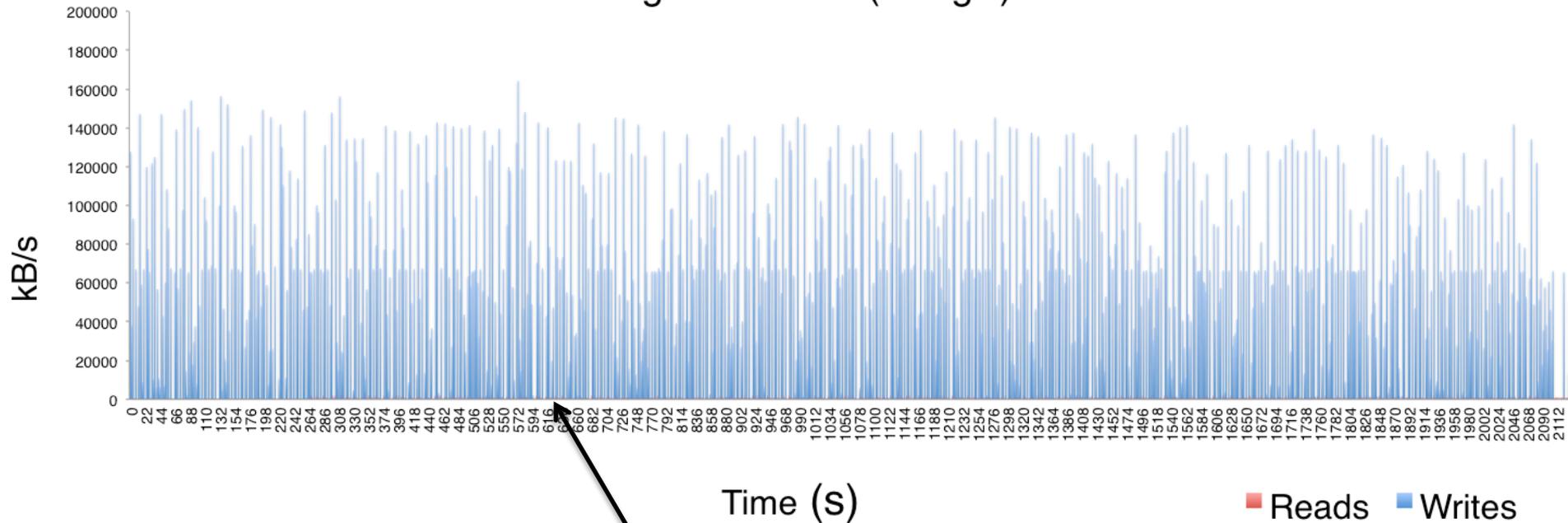
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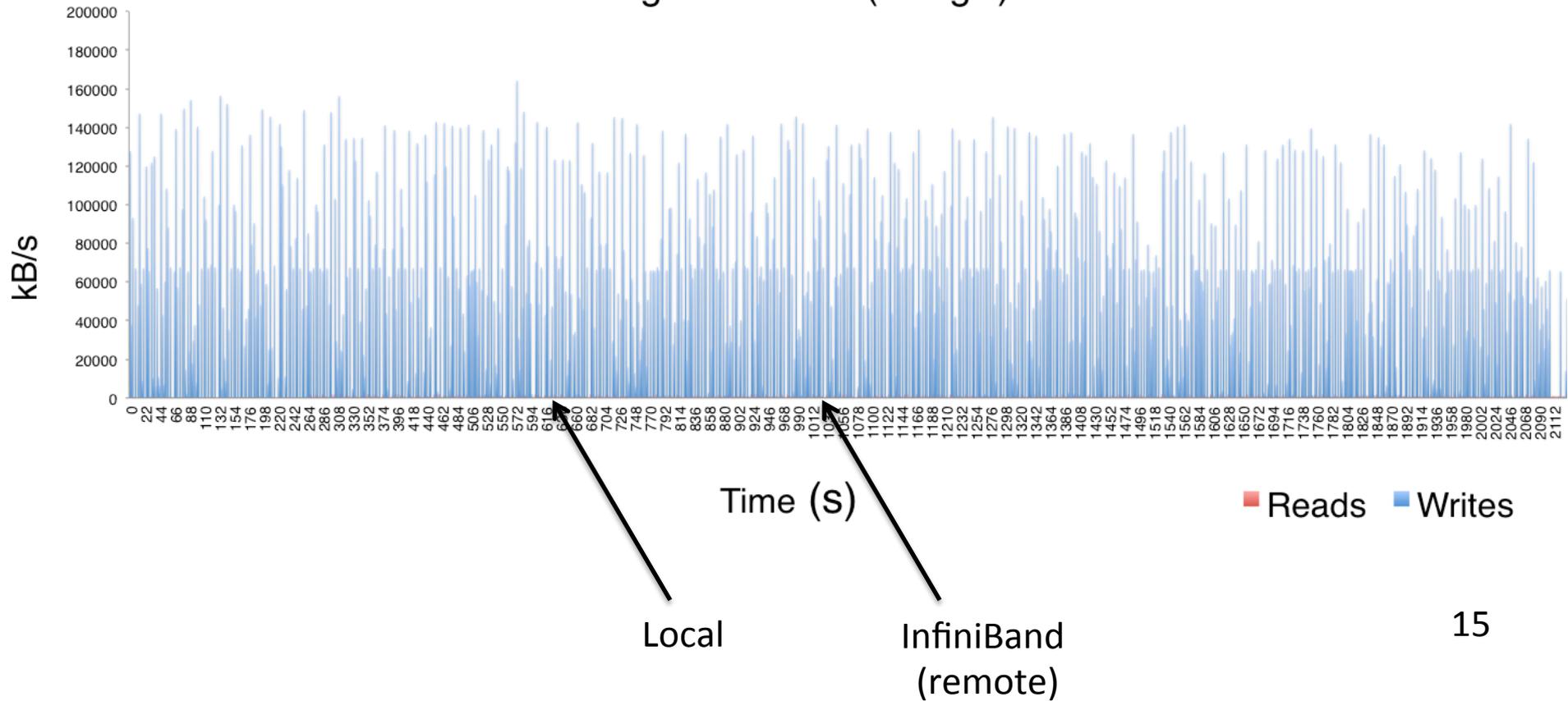
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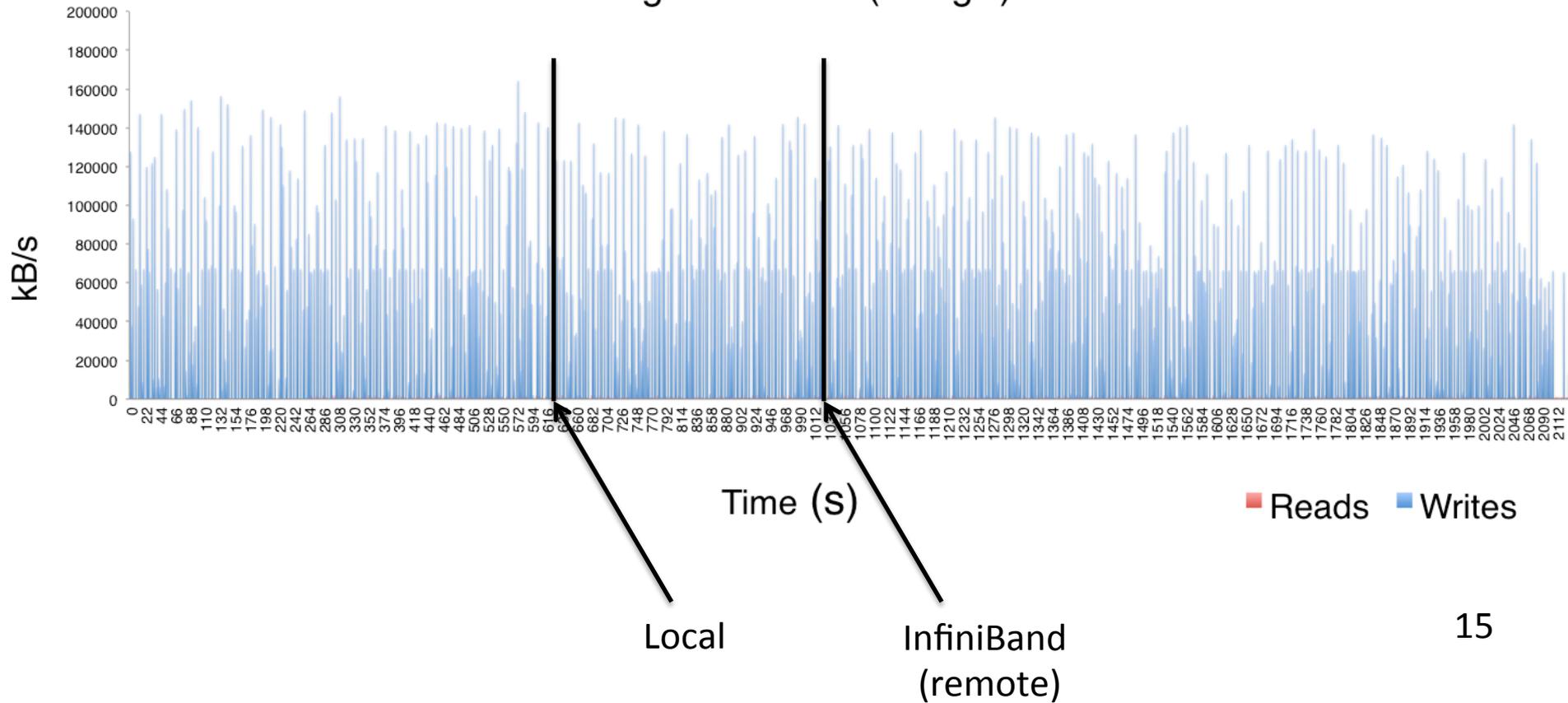
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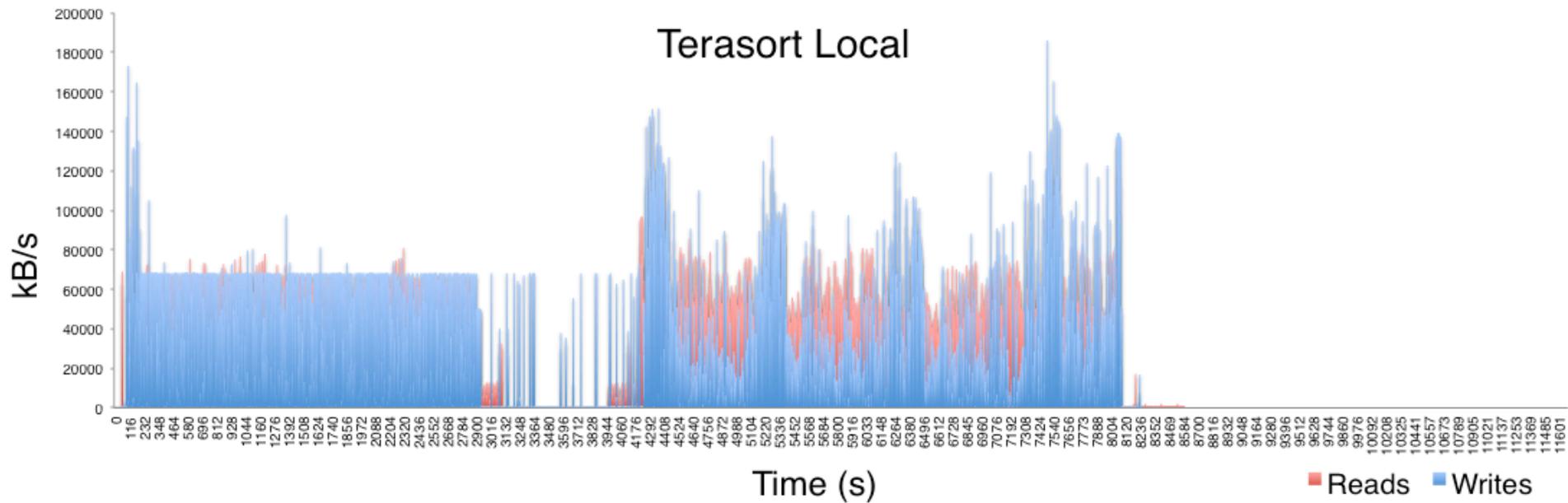


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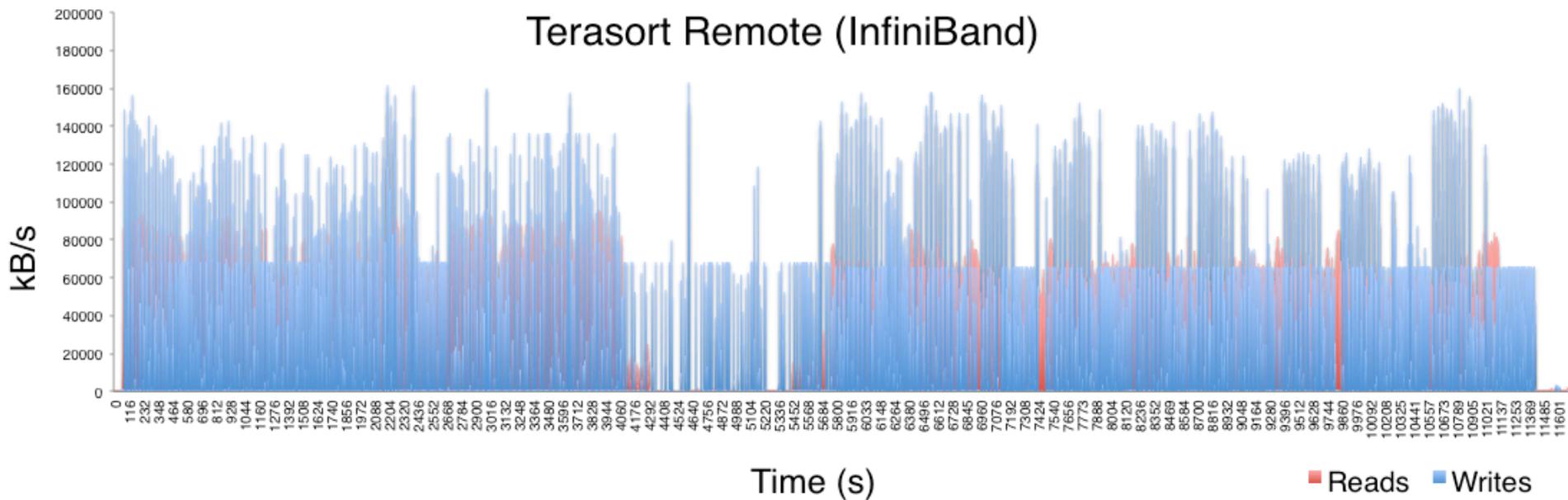
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# Conclusion

## Splunk

- Splunk app for HadoopOps is not suited to Hadoop MPv2/YARN

## Ganglia

- Easy to configure and to extend

## Effects of network latency

- Large impact when low connectivity
- Small, but noticeable impact for reasonable connectivity

# Take-Aways and Successes

Monitoring I/O is easy (with the right tools)

- Successfully set up ganglia to monitor I/O
- Created visuals of I/O during Hadoop jobs

Benchmark of Hadoop jobs on local data and on remote data

- Performance suffers on data intensive jobs when data is stored remotely

# Future Work

Write I/O monitoring application for Splunk

Evaluate effects of network latency with varying Hadoop parameters

- HDFS block size

Evaluating effects of network parameters

- Maximum transmission unit

Comparing performance on NFS to other file systems

Further examining trends in graphs

Questions?  
/\*Comments\*/

